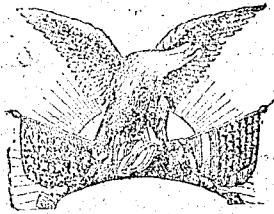






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POLITICAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.  
REPUBLICAN TICKET.



FOR PRESIDENT,  
BENJAMIN HARRISON,  
OF INDIANA.  
—  
FOR VICE PRESIDENT,  
LEVI P. MORTON,  
OF NEW YORK.

When a conceited fat man is the head of a kangaroo ticket, the less he hears about the preponderance of "fat" the more comfortable he is, likely to feel. —Cleveland Leader.

The editor of the Grayling Democrat is having a bad spell. The G. A. R. boys, it appears, hung out a flag when they learned that Harrison and Morton had been nominated. —Detroit Journal.

The democrats of the House voted that salt be put on the free list, but refused, on direct vote, to put rice on the free list. Salt is a product of republican and rice of democratic states. —Portland Oregonian.

A Union soldier heads the republican ticket this time, and a good one, too. The "old vets" will again drink from the same canteen. They will neither wear "butternuts" or carry "bandannas." The American flag is a banner enough for them.

Gen. Sheridan, whose obituary is in type in almost every well regulated newspaper office in the country, has shown such favorable symptoms since he has been breathing the salt water atmosphere that his permanent recovery is now among the strong probabilities. —Detroit News.

At close of session of Seventh Michigan regiment, held at Jonesville, vote of members was taken with the following result: Harrison 47, Cleveland 4. A vote taken among the veterans in Crawford county would show a larger proportion in favor of Harrison and Morton.

"Old Tecumseh," General Sherman, calls upon the "old vets" to fight for Harrison and Morton. The boys will hear that call from Maine to Oregon. The grand old general thinks it is high time to send the Copperheads and Butternuts to the rear. He has had enough of Cleveland, and so has the country. —Detroit Tribune.

Mrs. Lucy Parsons, relict of the late anarchist, A. R. Parsons, attempted to sell a book to the delegates to the Chicago republican convention and was promptly arrested and jailed. Mrs. Parsons mistook the temper of the crowd. The republicans are not marshaling under the red bandanna. It is the other fellows. —Cleveland Leader.

Cleveland and Thurman were both copperheads during the war. Cleveland wouldn't respond to even a draft. He hired a substitute for \$800 and cheated him out of half of that. So declared his substitute, George Brink, just before he died, and the charge has never been denied. The Free Press is right at home in its support of a copperhead. —Det. Tribune.

"It was a Lansing man who recently said to the writer: 'I can't vote for a man for president whose private record is such that I would have to skip it while relating to them the history of his life.'" —Detroit Tribune. He certainly could not have learned of the late developments in his life, by the Cleveland Literary Bureau, that he is and always has been a consistent member of the Presbyterian Church. How blind the people of Buffalo must have been.

The G. O. P., the God and morality party, which holds in its confines all that is pure and good in American politics, and which is the only true and genuine temperance reform party in the nation, adopted the following ringing and clear cut resolution at their national convention last week in reference to the suppression of the liquor traffic.

Demoral. The above may be "cute" but we cannot perceive it. The following plank was adopted with but one dissenting vote: "The first concern of all governments is the virtuous and sobriety of the people, and the purity of their homes. The republican party cordially sympathizes with all wise and well directed efforts for the promotion of temperance and morality." This resolution is short, but pointed. What action did your party take? Not any, for it would be similar to "Satan" attempting to cast out Satan.

Circuit Court.  
Trial of Dan Mahoney for the murder of Albert H. Grand, at Sand's camp, on the 6th of March.  
The adjourned term of Circuit Court was opened last week Tuesday, for the first murder trial in Crawford county. The people were represented by Pros. Atty. J. O. Hadley assisted by Geo. L. Alexander and J. Maurice Finn. The prisoner was defended by J. K. Wright.  
Great interest was taken by our citizens and the courtroom was filled with spectators. The prisoner appeared with little excited as any one present. The panel of the jury was exhausted without a selection and an order issued by the court for the drawing of fifty additional jurors to be present at nine o'clock Wednesday morning. The time till Wednesday noon was used in examination of jurors and the following were selected, at that time, Wm. H. Sherman, H. Davenport, C. F. Kelley, Elias Deek, Wm. Peacock, H. T. Shafter, M. Dyer, C. Z. Horton, A. S. Buck, L. E. Ostrander, Chas. Barber and J. A. Breaky. At this point the defendants attorney moved to quash the information for the reason that it was not verified by the Pros. Atty. or any other party. The motion was denied on the ground, that the error, if it be one, is merely a clerical omission, and further that the objection was made too late.  
The defendant excused another jurymen and after several challenges, Neil Patton and Jno. J. Covey were selected in place of M. Dyer and Elias Deek, and the jury were sworn.  
Geo. L. Alexander opened the case for the people by a brief statement of the facts in the case as they expected to show.

The first witness called was O. Palmer, who testified to the condition of the body at post mortem examination. Dr. F. P. Thatcher testified to the condition of the patient from the time of his first visit, immediately following the assault to the time of his death, and detailed his treatment. Dr. Haynes Thatcher corroborated the statements of his brother, being with him in the treatment of the case.

Dr. N. H. Traver testified to the facts connected with the post mortem examination, minutely describing the fracture of the skull and the condition of the brain beneath the wound. Dr. Geo. M. P. Davis was called in the same connection and testified to the same facts.

John Kerry was the next witness. He was present at the time of the attack. The testimony showed that the fight began in the house, where Mahoney struck the first blow. It was continued out doors where Mahoney seized a lumbering whiffletree and struck Grand on the head, and struck at him again after he had fallen. He expressed a wish that the S— of a B— would die, after Grand had been carried from the ground.

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"What's the matter with Ben. Harrison?" and "He's all right," are cries that are heard on every hand in this city this week. If the enthusiasm for Harrison and Morton has grown as rapidly all over the country—and the presumption is that it has—as it has in this city since the news was received, the campaign is likely to be the most enthusiastic since that in 1819, which resulted in the election of Gen. Harrison's grandfather to the presidency.

Personally Gen. Harrison and Mr. Morton are both beyond the reach of the slightest whisper of reproach. Gen. Harrison was a gallant soldier during the war of the rebellion, entering the army as a lieutenant, and being mustered out at the close of the war as a brigadier general of volunteers, he served one term in the senate, and would have been re-elected if the democrats of Indiana had not resorted to the most bare faced frauds in the election of the legislature which elected his successor, Mr. Turpie, the present junior senator from that state.

That Indiana will cast her fifteen electoral votes for him in November, there can be no doubt—it is already conceded by many democrats. Mr. Morton belongs to the class of patriotic business men who nobly stood by their government in its hour of need, and risked their fortunes to furnish necessary money to carry the war to a successful close, actuated by precisely the same motives that Harrison was, in enlisting as a soldier—the preservation of the Union. Mr. Morton has served honorably as a member of the House of Representatives, and as United States minister to France. He is extremely popular in New York State, which will give Harrison and Morton 36 electoral votes.

The great tariff fight in the House over the Mills bill has begun again, and when it will end is a problem. The democratic convention endorsed the bill, and that infused new courage into the members of that party to fight for its passage. The republican convention endorsed the action of the republican members in their policy of opposition to the bill—first of insisting upon a full and free discussion of every item in the bill, believing it to be the duty of the republicans to expose the dangerous absurdities which the democrats are endeavoring to place upon the statute books. If one or the other party does not yield, the Fifteenth Congress is likely to remain in continuous session until its death.

At noon on March 4, 1890, for if each item is to be discussed as fully as those which have already been reached, they will not be through by that time. HOWELL.

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